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Dear Interested Party:

This letter is being issued as a correction to an earlier letter, notifying interested parties of the availability of the draft decision notice (DN)/finding of no significant impact (FONSI) and updated environmental assessment (EA) for the Hungry Lion Resource Management Project. The previous letter had an incorrect mailing address for filing objections which has been corrected in this letter. This information was also stated incorrectly on p. 36 of the draft DN. Please use the mailing address below for all objections to the Hungry Lion project or the email address provided. This correction does not change the timeframe for filing objections.

How to File an Objection and Timeframe

Objections will only be accepted from those who have previously submitted specific written comments regarding the proposed project during scoping or other designated opportunity for public comment in accordance with §218.5(a). Issues raised in objections must be based on previously submitted timely, specific written comments regarding the proposed project unless based on new information arising after the designated comment opportunities.

Objections, including attachments, must be filed via mail, express delivery, messenger service, or hand delievery to: **Objection Reviewing Officer, USDA Forest Service, Northern Region, 26 Fort Missoula Road, Missoula, MT 59807**; FAX to (406) 329-3411; email to <u>appeals-northern-regional-office@fs.fed.us</u>. Electronic comments must be submitted in rich text (.rtf), Word (.doc), or Adobe Acrobat (.pdf) format.

Objections must be submitted within 45 calendar days following the publication of the notice in the *Daily Inter Lake*. The publication date in the newspaper of record is the exclusive means for calculating the time to file an objection. Those wishing to object should not rely upon dates or timeframe information provided by any other source. The regulations prohibit extending the time to file an objection.

The objection must contain the minimum content requirements specified in §218.8(d) and incorporation of documents by reference is permitted only as provided in §218.8(b). It is the objector's responsibility to ensure timely filing of a written objection with the reviewing officer pursuant to §218.9. All objections are available for public inspection during and after the objection process.

At a minimum, an objection must include the following (36 CFR 218.8(d)):

- 1) The objector's name and address, with a telephone number, if available;
- 2) A signature or other verification of authorship upon request (a scanned signature for email may be filed with the objection);
- 3) When multiple names are listed on an objection, identification of the lead objector (verification of the identity of the lead objector shall be provided upon request);





- 4) The name of the proposed project, the name and title of the responsible official, and the name(s) of the national forest(s) and/or ranger district(s) on which the proposed project will be implemented;
- 5) A description of those aspects of the proposed project addressed by the objection, including specific issues related to the proposed project if applicable; how the objector believes the environmental analysis or draft decision specifically violates law, regulation, or policy; suggested remedies that would resolve the objection; supporting reasons for the reviewing officer to consider; and
- 6) A statement that demonstrates connection between prior specific written comments on the particular proposed project or activity and the content of the objection.

I appreciate your interest in the Hungry Lion Resource Management Project. If you have any questions about the project, please call the Hungry Horse Ranger Station at (406) 387-3800.

Sincerely,

ROB DAVIES District Ranger